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Hongkong Rates of Postage.

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In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in cents, and are, for Letters per half ounce, for Books and Patterns, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, treble, &c., as the case may be, but such papers the weight of which may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplementa. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices for papers may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, contracts, music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of the papers may be, they are partially written as if they will not be charged less than one cent.

The sender of any Registered Article may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 5 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers for Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed the dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 1 inch.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise Europe, all foreign possessions in Asia, Japan, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritius, N. America, Mexico, Salvador, Brazil, Peru, Chili, Venezuela, The Argentine Republic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana, Honduras, Bermuda, Labuan, Hawaii, with all Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese and Spanish Colonies.

Countries not in the Union.—The other countries not in the Union are the Australian Colonies, and S. Africa.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by the route:—

Letters,	10 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	2 cents each.
Books, Patterns, & Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, and Torres Straits, Letters, 10; registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 2; *Via Ceylon*, Letters, 25; registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 2.

Natal, the Cape, St. Helena, Ascension, Bolivin, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 2.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

	(General Local Rates)	(Special Local Rates)
	cents.	cents.
1	1	1
2	2	2
3	3	3
4	4	4
5	5	5
6	6	6
7	7	7
8	8	8
9	9	9
10	10	10

(a) Via Singapore, 10 cents.
(b) Between Hongkong, Canton, and Amoy, 4 cents.

Local Delivery.

1. All correspondence posted in p.m. on any week day for address in Victoria will be delivered the same day, and generally within two hours, unless delivery should be retarded by the C. M. Mails.
2. Invitations, &c. can generally be delivered within Victoria at the houses of the addressee rather than at the places of business, if a wish to that be expressed by the sender, other correspondence is invariably delivered at the nearest places of business.
3. Boxholders who desire to send letters, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, &c., all of the same weight, to address in Hongkong, Bangkok, or the F. C. China, may deliver them to the Office unstampd, the postage be charged to the sender's account, batch must consist of at least ten.
4. Boxholders may also send to the same places in the same way envelopes containing Patterns may be enclosed, if the names of the contents be exhibited as stated to the Post General, as he may consider necessary approved by him. Printed Circulars be inserted in such Pattern Packets.

PARCELS.—The public is reminded that there is no such thing as Parcel Post to Europe, &c. Much trouble and disappointment are caused by persistently to send small valuable trifles the parcels of Post, East, Curio, Articles of Parcel Work, and similar presents, and finally being refused, the sender has often spent more in Postage than he have paid the freight by steam, and refund can be made on such parcels of value of Stamps collected by the nature of the contents was discovered.

Local and Indian Parcel Post.

1. Small Parcels may be sent at Book Rate between Hongkong and the British Post Offices in China as to Japan, Macao, Peking, the Settlements, Ceylon and India. They not exceed the following dimensions: long, 1 foot broad, 1 foot deep, more than five, nor be smaller than 4 inches. Such parcels may be when they bear this special word **PARCEL**, CONTAINING NO LETTERS, parcel may be opened by direct Postmaster General. In the case for India a declaration of contents value is required, a proof of value supplied gratis. The Beginning Parcel for India and Ceylon is 10

Unclaimed Correspondence,
May 16, 1884

	Leto. Pap.	Leto. Pap.	
Abdulla, Thomas	1	Letourneau, J.	1
Adams, Robt. 1 regd.	1	Levy, R. 1	1
Barrister, S. J.	2	Levy Fred, S.	1
Bishop, Mrs. A.	2	Levy, S.	1
Black, Donald	2	Lyons & Leroy	1
Bledsoe, F. G.	1	MacAllister, W. T.	1
Bell, Mr. J.	1	MacCallan, M. T.	1
Brooks, Miss Jeanie	1	Malach, Ch. O.	1
Brown, Emilio	2	McCormick, A.	1
Jose	1	Meador, E. H.	1
Joseph, B. M.	1	Morden, M. R.	1
(Major) C. M.	1	Moscowitz, L. I.	1
Wing, W. C.	1	Nichols, R. H.	1
Dallas, Monar. H. 2	1	Nicholson, P. H.	1
Dehn, Mr. J.	1	Parer, E. H.	1
Daniel, Mrs. 1	1	Park Edward	1
Dastum, H. F.	1	Pavly, A.	1
Delford Monar. 1	1	Perer Monar.	1
Darby, Wm. 1	1	Perer, F. 1	1
Dehn, Z.	1	Perez, Maria E.	1
Francis Mrs. 1	1	Peters, Miss 1	1
Garrett, Miss 1	1	Piet, Monar. 1	1
Gomes, M. A. 1 regd.	1	Quon Chong	1
Graham, E. W.	1	Rosendal, E. 1	1
Graham, Wm. 1	1	Richard, Arthur 1	1
H. M.	1	Robinson, C. 1	1
Hurvey, C. H. A. 1	1	Roe, Henry, G. 1	1
Henn, James 1	1	Rosendal, E. 1	1
Hew, Mr. 1	1	Scylan, J. B. 1	1
Hugo, St. Du C.	1	Shang, S. 1	1
Hussey James 1	1	Shirius, E. 1	1
Impken, W. A. 2	1	Somerville, W. 1	1
Johnston Alexander 1	1	South Richard 1	1
Johnston, Wm. 1	1	Sung, B. 1	1
Kennedy, E. 1	1	Tong Hang	1
Kerr, Charles	1	Tong-yue, S. 1	1
Koyser S. D. Aute. 1	1	Townley, S. A. 1	1
Kyung, Wm. 1	1	Townsend, Alfred 1	1
Kingfield, Wm. 1	1	Unsworth, B. 1	1
Kuster, E. 1	1	Wah Yung, 1 regd.	1
Kwong Wing 1	1	Wardorfer, H. 1	1
Wah	1	Wong Chong	1
Lawrence, H. 1	1	Wong Chong	1

DETAILED.

Chinese Address, 3 letters, 6 cents to pay each.

For Merchant Ships.

	Leto. Pap.	Leto. Pap.	
A. Jackson	1	Leri C. Wade	1
Alexa	1	Lord Jeffrey, s.s. 2	2
Antorn, s.s. 1	1	Lord of the	1
Antora, s.s. 1	1	Luck, s.s. 1	1
Bay, Wm. s.s. 1	1	Lothian, s.s. 1	1
Billy Simpson	1	Lucia	1
Birdie, s.s. 1	1	Macedon	1
Bivouac, s.s. 1	1	Macdonald	1
Bowles Lassie	1	Magie	1
Cambridge, s.s. 2	1	Manila, s.s. 1	1
Cicero	1	Mantais	1
Clyde	1	Meadors	10
Colbertson, s.s. 1	1	Melena, s.s. 1	1
Con, Donaville	1	Monkrose, s.s. 1	1
Cornelia	1	Namath, s.s. 1	1
Emblen, s.s. 1	1	Namath, s.s. 1	1
Forest King 26	12	Nestorian	1
G. B. Goss	1	Newmaster, s.s. 1	1
Ge. Donaville	1	P. G. Carvil	1
Georgia	0	Plantain	1
Governor Tilley	1	Rambler	1
Graydon	1	Sachen	1
Hayden Brown	1	Sacramento	1
Hager, s.s. 1	1	Sea Breeze	1
Hannanwar	13	Star of China	8
Honorale, s.s. 1	1	Timor	1
Jonathan Bourne	1	Tuking, s.s. 1	1
Naganzo, s.s. 1	1	Viking, s.s. 1	1
Lady Helen	1	Wildwood	2
Leona	1		
Lis Ylio	1		

Books, etc. without Covers.

Agus	
Australasian	
Bento Bilder	
Bristol Observer	
Christian Leader	
Conhill Magazine	
Corn "Sedra"	
Dagbladet	
De Tijd	
Dinauche Nachrich	
Dreestend Electrich	
El Imperial	
Electrician	
Graphic	
Helvia	
Hong-Nova	
Il Trovatore	
Illustrated London News	
Journal of Chari Proi.	
La Correspondence de Espana	
La Epoca	
La Revue Maritime	
Leo Tablets	
L'Observation Renouee	
Militar-Zeltung	
Nationalende	
Network Advertiser	
Periodico do Pwo	
Prussian Newspaper	
Photographische Mittheilungen	
Pictorial World	
Picture Lesson Paper	
Qaena	
Racotta	
Royal Cornwall Gazette	
Russian Illustrated Paper	
Samples of Buttons	
Shapington Chronicle	
Shankas Afombladi	
Society	
Uber Land und Meer	
Warder	

NAMES OF VILLAGES & DISTRICTS IN OR NEAR HONGKONG.

(Corrected Spelling.)

	Leto. Pap.	Leto. Pap.	
A-chung Ngan	1	San Tsien	1
Ap-li Chan	1	Shai-wan	1
Chang-shing Hom	1	Shai-tai Po	1
Chung Hon	1	Shai-shui Po	1